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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Pavement Replacement Closures for Portions of San Gabriel River Freeway (I-605) (Update)

LOS ANGELES / IRWINDALE: The California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) will close the following portions of the San Gabriel River Freeway (I-605) from the Foothill Freeway (I-210) in Irwindale to the Artesia Freeway (SR-91) as part of a pavement replacement project each night, Wednesday, May 31 through Friday, June 2, weather permitting. At least one northbound and one southbound lane will remain open to motorists during these closures. The closures are as follows:

NORTHBOUND I-605:

NIGHTLY, MAY 31 THROUGH JUNE 2, from 8 p.m. to 9 a.m.

The HOV lane and up to four regular use lanes from the SR-91 connector to westbound I-105 connectors; HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between westbound and eastbound I-105; HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between eastbound I-105 and I-5 connector; HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between the northbound and southbound I-5 connectors; HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between northbound I-5 connector and Beverly Boulevard Overcrossing; HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between Beverly Boulevard Overcrossing and the Pomona Freeway (SR-60) connector; HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between northbound I-5 connector and Beverly Boulevard Overcrossing; HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between Beverly Boulevard and the Pomona Freeway (SR-60) connector; HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between SR-60 connector to the San Bernardino Freeway (I-10); and up to three regular use lanes between the I-10 connector to the Foothill Freeway (I-210).

MAY 31 AND JUNE 1, from 8 p.m. to 9 a.m.

The HOV lane and up to two regular use lanes from South Street to the SR-91 connector; South Street on and off-ramps; northbound I-605 to SR-91 connector.

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SOUTHBOUND I-605:

JUNE 2, from 8 p.m. to 9 a.m.

HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between westbound and eastbound I-105; HOV lane and up to three regular use lanes between the I-5 connector and Alondra Boulevard.

JUNE 3, from 8 p.m. to 9 a.m.

HOV lane and up to four regular use lanes from Rosecrans Avenue and SR-91 connector; eastbound Rosecrans Avenue on-ramp; Alondra Boulevard on and off-ramps; southbound I-605 to SR-91 connector; and westbound SR-91 to southbound I-605.

Closures are weather permitting and subject to change. American Civil Constructors of Benecia, California is the contractor for this \$13.7 million project, which upon completion, will provide a smoother riding surface and extend the life span of the road. Estimated project completion is summer 2006.

Caltrans reminds motorists to “***Slow For The Cone Zone.***”

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